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### PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Tomokuni Wauke for Thin Inner Rotor Motor and Disk Device Using the Motor.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment with attached Appendix A
- ☒ 47 pages of application (including title page and Abstract), 10 sheets of formal drawings and the following Appendices: n/a
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application
- ☒ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: Alps Electric Co., Ltd.
- ☒ Submission of Certified Copy of Priority Document and certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2001-049349
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449, and references A1-A2

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